

PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Andersen et al. : Paper No:
Serial No. 10/528,926 : Group Art Unit: 1794
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Customer No. 26874 Attorney Docket No. 0114229/0556831
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For: CHEWING GUM CONTAINING TWO DIFFERENT BIODEGRADABLE POLYMERS

RESPONSE and AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, dated February 20, 2008, please consider the following remarks. Applicants respectfully request this response be considered by the Examiner and a timely Notice of Allowance issued in this application.

Also submitted concurrently is a petition for a three month extension to extend the time for response from May 20, 2008 to August 20, 2008.

Amendments begin on page 2.

Remarks and discussion begin on page 11.